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Transmitted herewith for filing is the Patent Application of Simon C. CHU et al., entitled **METHOD AND SYSTEM FOR LOAD BALANCING SWITCH MODULES IN A SERVER SYSTEM AND A COMPUTER SYSTEM UTILIZING THE SAME**, for a(n):

- (X) Original Patent Application.
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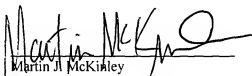
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